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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re Application of:

BILLING -MEDEL et al.

Serial No.: 09/092,296

Art Unit: 1642

Filing Date: June 5, 1998

Examiner: T. Worrall

Title: REAGENTS AND METHODS USEFUL FOR DETECTING DISEASES OF
THE LUNG



PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

The following extension of time is requested in order to respond to the Office
Action mailed May 12, 1999.

X One month to September 12, 1999. The response date, with a one-month extension, falls on Sunday, September 12, 1999. Accordingly, the response date is September 13, 1999. The extension fee is

 \$55 X \$110

 Two months to . The extension fee is
 \$190 \$380

 Three months to . The extension fee is
 \$435 \$870

 Four months to . The extension fee is
 \$680 \$1,360

 Five months to . The extension fee is
 \$925 \$1,850

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- A (one) (two) month Petition for Extension of Time was previously filed with the appropriate fee on _____.
- The shortened statutory period has been reset by an Advisory Action dated _____.
- X A check to cover the \$110.00 extension fee is attached.
- Charge \$ to Deposit Account No. 18-1648.



The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required by this paper, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 18-1648.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: 13 Sept 1999

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